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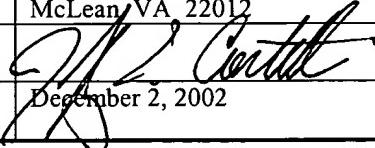
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139	130	139	130	Non-English transaction	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	110.00
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.29(b))	
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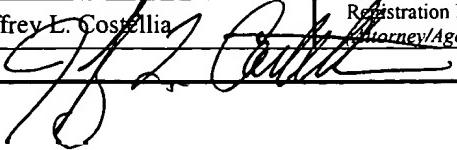
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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CORRECTIONS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Attached hereto is a copy of Figures 1A-1B, 2A-2B, 6, 7 and 18 of the present application, with corrections marked in red ink. The corrections set forth are requested for the purpose of removing extraneous textural materials, as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.83(a). The USPTO is requested to review and approve the corrections to Figures 1A-1B, 2A-2B, 6, 7 and 18, and provide Applicants' undersigned representative with written notice of such approval.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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